


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Attorney Docket No.	10517/102
First Inventor	To be named.
Title	MOLD CLAMPING APPARATUS AND MOLD CLAMPING METHOD
Express Mail Label No.	

APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)
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2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27.
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 - Brief Summary of the invention
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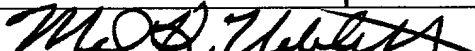
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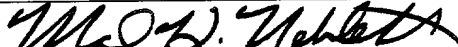
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